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## **REQUEST FOR STATUS**

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Sir:

The undersigned attorney requests the status of the above-identified application.

The application was filed on **September 17, 2004**, in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and to date no Office Action has been received.

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